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### LETTER

## VIA FACSIMILE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Confirming the telephone conversation between the undersigned and the Examiner today, December 9, 2008, attached is a copy of the Amendment that was mailed from our office on September 19, 2007, and which is mentioned in the first paragraph of the Supplemental Amendment mailed from our office on October 11, 2007.

Attached to the Amendment mailed September 19, 2007 is a copy of the post card which was sent with it, together with a copy of the Petition for Extension of Time which also accompanied the Amendment.

Until the Examiner pointed it out during the conversation, we had not been aware of the fact that the Amendment of September 19, 2007 apparently was not entered into the file of the case.

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We have no record of having received a stamped copy of the attached post card.

Until the telephone conversation earlier today we believed that the application was in proper condition for further examination. When we had not heard anything in response to our Amendments and Supplemental IDS, we sent a Status Inquiry Letter on March 27, 2008 (copy attached).

Strangely, we did not receive a reply to the first status letter, and therefore, on July 8, 2008, we filed a second Status Inquiry Letter (copy of Letter and Acknowledgement Receipt attached).

When we also did not get a response to the second status inquiry letter, the undersigned attorney made a call to the Examiner.

It would be greatly appreciated if the Examiner would call and advise as to what happened and what needs to be done to put the application in condition for further examination.

Respectfully submitted,

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